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The Constitution

AS IN FORCE ON 1 JULY 1999

together with

**Proclamation Declaring the
Establishment of the Commonwealth**

**Letters Patent Relating to the
Office of Governor-General**

Statute of Westminster Adoption Act 1942

Australia Act 1986

WITH

OVERVIEW, NOTES AND INDEX

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